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For: THERAPEUTIC POLYPEPTIDES, HOMOLOGUES THEREOF,

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Dated: October 16, 2008 Signature: /Sylvana Householder/

RESPONSE TO SPECIES ELECTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the species election requirement mailed December 10, 2007 and to the Communication mailed September 16, 2008, Applicant hereby elects SEQ ID NO: 5 without traverse.

The pending claims encompassing the species elected herewith are: 1, 2, 22, 34-38, 40, and 42-59.

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If this response is not considered timely filed and if a request for an extension of time is otherwise absent, Applicant hereby requests any necessary extension of time. If there is a fee occasioned by this response, including an extension fee, that is not covered by an enclosed check or credit card charge authorization, please charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 16, 2008

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